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**Message:** As you and Peter Phillips of my office discussed today, attached is the Petition to Make Special that was filed by fax in this application on November 14, 2002. Any help you can give us in having the Petition acted on will be greatly appreciated.

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PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 215630

Date: November 14, 2002

In re Application of: Yeung et al.

Application No. 10/070,531

Filed: June 5, 2002

For: METHOD OF ANALYZING MULTIPLE SAMPLES SIMULTANEOUSLY BY DETECTING  
ABSORPTION AND SYSTEMS FOR USE IN SUCH A METHOD

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Petition to Make Special Under 37 C.F.R § 1.102 (A) and (D).

☐ Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.☐ Petition for Extension of Time☐ Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00 (enclosed).☒ Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.☐ No additional claim fee is required.☐ Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT			HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE
TOTAL			MINUS	=	x 9=	\$	x 18=	\$
INDEPENDENT			MINUS	=	x 42=	\$	x 84=	\$
<input type="checkbox"/>	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM				+ 140=	\$	+ 280=	\$
					TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$

☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the amount of \$130.00 for the fee under 37 C.F.R § 1.17 (h).A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.☐ A check in the amount of \$ is attached.☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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